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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 17, 2000, kindly amend the above-identified Application without prejudice as follows:

In the Abstract

Kindly add the Abstract page attached hereto.

In the Claims

Kindly amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (once amended) Apparatus comprising [Apparatus according to claim 1 and further comprising]:

a banking machine, including: